



Submerged aquatic vegetation (SAV) mapping on Lake Istokpoga - scientists Eric Crawford and Chuck Hanlon heading to their first site, June 2011



Bald Eagle (*Haliaeetus leucocephalus*) pair, Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



Taking off, Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



American Lotus (*Nelumbo lutea*) seed pod, Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



Skimmer dragonfly (family *Libellulidae*), Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



Low water levels at Boy Scout Cut, Lake Okeechobee, June 2011



Dry conditions at native Apple Snail (*Pomacea paludosa*) hatchery, Lemkin Creek, June 2011



Native Apple Snail eggs from the Lemkin Creek hatchery, ready for transport to Lake Okeechobee, June 2011



Scientist Eric Crawford demonstrates herpetofauna (reptiles and amphibians) trapping methods for students of the University of Florida (Fisheries and Aquatic Sciences). Lake Okeechobee, June 2011



University of Florida students experience the wildlife of
Lake Okeechobee, June 2011



Female Snail Kite (*Rostrhamus sociabilis*)
Lake Okeechobee, June 2011



Great Egrets (*Ardea alba*) and Wood Storks (*Mycteria americana*),
Lake Okeechobee, June 2011



Immature Red-shouldered Hawk (*Buteo lineatus*), Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



Limpkin (*Aramus guarauna*), Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



Male Snail Kite, Lake Istokpoga, June 2011



Great Blue Heron (*Ardea herodias*), Lake Istokpoga, June 2011